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2 BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

3 DONOVAN ANDERSON, CHAIRMAN

4 NICK ALBERTI, BOARD MEMBER

5 JAMES SHORT, BOARD MEMBER

6 MIKE SILVERSTEIN, BOARD MEMBER

7 JAKE PERRY, BOARD MEMBER

8

9 ALSO PRESENT:

10 ZACHARY SHAPIRO

11 SHIRAFKAN

1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 SHOW CAUSE HEARING (STATUS)

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: We now move to our
4 show cause hearing calendar. The first case on
5 our show cause hearing calendar is case # 16-CC-
6 00063, Living Room, license #76906. Will the
7 parties please approach and identify themselves
8 for the record, please?

9 MR. SHAPIRO: Good morning Mr. Chair and
10 members of the board. Zachary Shapiro on behalf
11 of the District of Columbia. I do not see
12 counsel for the licensee here. I've been in
13 communication with them up until this morning. I
14 expected them to be here, so I don't know if you
15 want to give some additional time and I can call
16 them.

17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: That's fine, I will
18 pass this case and then if you see the licensee
19 show up, let me know, please.

20 We're back on the record. I recall case #16-
21 CC-00063, Living Room, license #76906. Will the
22 parties please approach and identify themselves

1 for the record, please?

2 MR. SHAPIRO: Thank you, good morning,
3 Zachary Shapiro on behalf of the District of
4 Columbia.

5 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I see that the
6 licensee is not here. Any representation you
7 wish to make, Mr. Shapiro? You don't have to.

8 MR. SHAPIRO: Just that I was in
9 communication with counsel for the licensee
10 yesterday and I'm surprised he's not here. He
11 indicated to me that his client needed a
12 postponement of the show cause hearing.
13 Obviously, that's his request, not the
14 District's, so I'll let him make that to the
15 board.

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. He's not
17 here today. This matter is then scheduled for a
18 show cause hearing on January 11, 2017, 11:00.

19 MR. SHAPIRO: Thank you.

20 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.

21 [Off the record]

22 [On the record]

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: We're back on the
2 record. Mr. Shirafkan, I see that you're here.
3 We had a hearing scheduled for 9:30 this morning
4 and we had moved on and scheduled the case. I
5 see you're here.

6 MR. SHIRAFKAN: On the way here what happened
7 is the notice was sent to me -- I just got it in
8 the past few minutes. As I was coming on the way
9 here and then all of a sudden I started noticing
10 I got a call and an e-mail saying it was 9:30
11 where I had it for 1:30, so I made a couple of
12 calls and found out a notice was sent to the
13 client. The client faxed it over. There was a
14 line on the fax line when it faxed where my
15 assistant put it as 1:30 on my calendar instead
16 of 9:30. But I wanted to still come in just to
17 extend my apologies to every individual board
18 member and Mr. Chair and definitely it is known
19 that I meant no disrespect whatsoever and it's
20 not the way I practice and I wanted in person to
21 come and apologize for this mix-up. I have been
22 aware of we have rejected the OIC, I know it was

1 set for a hearing. It was set with OAG as to the
2 date of it, but simply I wanted to just come and
3 apologize and let you know that I meant no
4 disrespect whatsoever. I'm always where I'm
5 supposed to be, it's when I know I'm supposed to
6 be there. That's all.

7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Well, thank you very
8 much for your representation, sir. It means a
9 lot. I mean it was just -- we move on -- but I
10 appreciate the fact that you were able to show up
11 and put on the record that -- I appreciate that
12 and the board appreciates that.

13 MR. SHIRAFKAN: I wanted to get that out of
14 the way. Thank you, sir.

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16 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter was
17 concluded.)